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A VEHICLE**

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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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A Reply to Final Office Action Mailed April 24, 2009 and Request for Continued Examination are being submitted concurrently herewith.

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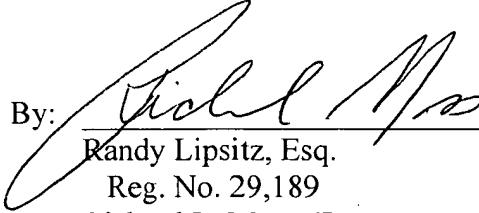
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